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United Church

N. W. Whitmore, B.A. Minister

Sunday School, 11 a.m.
The Canadian Council of Child Welfare, endorse among other aims, the following—

That the child must be given the means requisite for its normal development, both materially and spiritually.

That the child must be brought up in the consciousness that its talents must be devoted to the service of its fellowmen.

Such aims are in keeping with modern Sunday School enterprise. Help the workers in Empress.

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Will our friends please note withdrawal of service for one Sunday only, May 23.

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MAYFIELD COMMUNITY HALL

Monday, May 24th

PLAY and DANCE

The EMPRESS PLAYERS will present their play:

"BABY MINE"

at 8 p.m., to be followed by a

DANCE in the New Hall

Admission, 75c to the Play; 75c, per couple to the Dance. Funds, are all being given to help pay for the Hall, so you are invited to join us in large numbers.

If You Can Be Satisfied--- We Can Do It

One satisfied cream shipper is worth a dozen of the other kind. — We have no stone unturned to satisfy every farmer who ships us a can of cream.

It is the personal touch that does it. Individual attention is given to every shipment of cream when the tag reads "Caulder's." Ship once—and you'll ship again.

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With a very fine stock of high-class Drug Requisites and Toilet Needs

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Conservatives To Hold Convention Tuesday, June 1

Notice has gone out to the effect that Conservatives of the Riding will convene in Empress, at the local hall, June 1, at 4 p.m. A number of prominent Conservatives will be in attendance, including G. M. Blackstock and Dr. Smythe, of Medicine Hat, W. West and W. Kents of Redcliff, and others.

We are agents for all magazine literature. Bring us your orders and Renewals. — "Empress Express."

A Timely Message

From Rev. Dr. J. M. Millar, President Alberta Conference of the United Church to pastors and people throughout the province.

In part he writes: "The wind is blowing where it listeth and we hear the sound thereof. We are being borne along as part of a mighty and irresistible movement in the thought and conscience of men, concerning the essence of the Christian message and the part that the Church is called upon to play in order that its message may be effective."

The spirit of Christ is asserting itself for all who have ears to hear. Our minds may well be filled by awe as we behold the excavation of new and broader channels through which the grace of God is flowing to our generation, the days of narrow denominationalism are over. One hears still occasional voices calling us to old bigotries, parochialisms and lit.

Dan McEachern Receives Nomination at Lib. Convention To Celebrate Empire Day

Dan McEachern, of Empress, was the unanimous choice of the Liberal nominating convention, for this constituency, held at the Empress theatre, Medicine Hat, last Friday afternoon.

Officers of the Empress Liberal Association, were elected as follows: President, R. L. Arthur, Empress; first vice-president, M. J. Esplanter, Est. H. H. Foster, of Pakenia; second vice-president, A. Foster, Suffield; third vice-president, D. A. McDonald, Bindloss; fourth vice-president, J. J. Williams, Hilda; Secretary, treasurer, M. A. Blodgett, Empress.

The executive, which was fixed at not less than seven members, was left to the officers for selection.

C. S. Pingle, "received the Liberal nomination for the constituency of Medicine Hat, H. H. Foster, of Pakenia, was the selection of the Liberals for the constituency of Cypress.

In the evening, Capt. Shaw, the Liberal leader, and the three candidates addressed an enthusiastic mass meeting of their supporters in the theatre. Capt. Shaw is nominated in the Bow Valley riding.

Opinion is that the choice of D. McEachern by the Liberals is a good selection. He has been resident in the constituency for a number of years, and enjoys the favor of a large number of those who are acquainted with him throughout the district. He is a good speaker and also has a first-hand knowledge of farming. Should his candidature receive the favor of the voters he will undoubtedly prove a good asset to the Liberal forces.

eralisms, but these voices belong to a world that has faded from the eyes of most of us.

I trust that the half year that has passed since the Conference was organized in Calgary, has been a glad and fruitful one for you and your people. We cannot exaggerate the importance of our undertaking at the moment. We are laying foundations for the new church in Province—let us put into these foundations nothing that will not stand the fire of investigation.

We need the wisdom, inspiration and prayers of every member of our Church, so that all our methods may make for the promotion of the common cause."

All our people are asked to offer prayer that the Conference's endeavors may be ordered aright for the edification of believers and the furtherance of the purposes of Christ.



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Eucharistic Congress Chicago

Under the auspices of The Ecclesiastical Authorities of Your Diocese
JUNE 20-24, 1926

Particulars from any—
CANADIAN PACIFIC TICKET AGENT or
J. E. Proctor, District Passenger Agent, Calgary.

To Celebrate Empire Day

Under the auspices of the Local Chapter of the I.O.D.E., the public celebration of Empire Day by the school pupils, will take place in a narrow afternoon, Friday, May 21, at 2.30 p.m. A program has been arranged and prizes will be distributed to pupils for efficiency in history. Owners of cars are asked to bring them to the school grounds and parents and others interested are asked to attend.

Third Fortnightly Crop Report

Dept. of Agriculture, May 17

Sowing of wheat is practically completed throughout the province, and seeding of coarse grain is well advanced. Early sown wheat is well above the ground and looking healthy. Growing conditions generally throughout the province are excellent. The weather since last report has been generally cool and showery, with a few very warm days. Almost every part of the province has been visited by rain which has led from light showers in some districts to heavy downpours in others. Southern districts have received a fair amount of precipitation, and in spite of some soil drifting, conditions in these districts at present are satisfactory. In the central and northern districts rain has been more general.

The outstanding comment to be made upon the situation at present is the fact that all growth in the province is much in advance of other years. Feeding appeared much earlier than has been known for a long time, and the completion of seeding has been recorded considerably earlier than formerly. Early sown wheat is now several inches above ground in many districts and growing rapidly. More rain will be needed in some districts if this rapid growth is to be sustained, but at present conditions may be said to be quite satisfactory.

Outworn are still active in some districts, but measures to control these have been generally effective.

Pasture generally is good and stock in splendid condition.

Hardware and Supplies

Halter Shanks and Sweat Pads

Tubs, Wash boilers, Granite, Aluminum and Tinware

Alabastine

Paints, Oils, Glass, etc.

Nails, etc.

Tinsmithing and Repairs

M. G. BOYD

Proceed Rapidly With Building of Community Hall

Myfielders Have Ambitious Plans for Hall, Ball Park and Possibly Race Track

A bee for the building of the new hall at Myfield, was called on Tuesday, and responded to enthusiastically, and crews of workers under different leaders have been on the job each day. All work is voluntary, and those who cannot spare the time are paying others to take their places.

A ball diamond, and possibly a race track, and the residents of the Myfield district are looking forward to great things.

The annual meeting of the Myfield hall team is called for June 1st.

Miss Sophie Mahura, was admitted to the hospital on May 17.

Latest reports show that the average increase in wheat acreage will be about 10 per cent with practically the same in other grain crops. Forage crops in the south will show a big increase, and there is some increase in sugar beets, seeding of which is well advanced.

Canadian Pacific Railway CHANGE IN TRAIN SERVICE

Effective Monday, May 16th Times for trains at Empress, will be:

Westbound Eastbound

Empress-Swift Current

No. 65 at 9.35 p.m. No. 66 at 7.10 a.m.

Ux. ex. Sunday

Empress-Banquet-Calgary

No. 516 at 7.00 a.m. Tues. Thurs. Sat.

No. 515 at 9.50 p.m. Mon. Wed. Fri.

TRANS-CANADA LIMITED, Nos. 7 and 8 (standard sleeping cars only), between Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver will be resumed, first train leaves each of these points on May 16th, 1926.

"THE MOUNTAINEER, Trains Nos. 13 and 14, between Chicago and Vancouver will be resumed, first through train leaving Seattle, Canada, Wednesday, June 8th and Eastbound, June 12th.

For further particulars apply to any Ticket Agent.

J. E. PROCTOR

District Passenger Agent, CALGARY

Anglican Church

The St. Mary's Church Sunday School will meet at 11 a.m. until further notice.

Services on May 23 (White Sunday).

St. Mary's Church:

9 a.m. Holy Communion.

7.30 p.m. Evening Prayer.

J. Rowles' Farm:

11 a.m. Holy Communion.

3 p.m. Evening Prayer.

L. J. Tatham, Priest-in-charge.

The nominating convention of the United Farmers of Alberta, for the Alberta constituency, is to be held at Oyen, May 27.

IN MEMORIAM

MACKENZIE—Victoria Alex Mackenzie, died the April 19th, 1924. "Oh! for the touch of a vanished hand And the sound of a voice that is still."

—Alex Mackenzie.

Those wishing to secure bulbs, shrubs, small fruits, etc. for spring planting, should order their supplies through Mrs. E. S. Sexton, agent for the Patmore Nursery Co.



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We Have In Stock

A SUFFICIENT SUPPLY OF

OVERALLS

Blue and White Stripe Dark

Blue Denims and

Grey Stripe Cottonades for

your needs until the factory

resumes operations

EMPRESS THEATRE

Saturday, May 22nd

"THE PONY EXPRESS"

Super-special by James Cruze, who

produced the "Covered Wagon." A story of perils and dangers of the pony express in 1860.

"Across 2,000 miles of unbroken track. Through scorching sun and black of night. Through ice and snow and raiding Indians. Eight days and nights of perilous riding and unmatched heroism."

Extra Date, Friday, May 28

"RAINBOW RILEY"

Starring JOHNNY HINES. A Comedy Feature with a Real Kick.

DANCE AFTER SHOW, 75c per couple

Saturday, May 29th

"THE SPLENDID ROAD"

A Gold Rush Story of 1850

One Million Miners Are Affected By The Labor Trouble In Britain

London.—Premier Baldwin has broadcast a message to the people asking them to "keep steady." "Peace come to men of goodwill," the message added. It is unofficially reported that the delegates of the congress indicated that if a resumption of work in the mines is in prospect the general strike will not be carried out.

One million miners are affected by the strike; they will be backed up, if the strike continues, by some five million workers belonging to 250 trade unions.

The representatives of these unions decided to put all their strength to the task of helping the miners, for the issue is characterized by labor as one no longer between the owners and the miners, but as affecting all labor.

A proclamation by the King gives the government almost unlimited power and establishes a "state of emergency," which, while not so far-reaching as the proclamation of martial law, permits the authorities to use all the resources of the state to guard the nation's vital interests.

Already, as a precautionary measure, a disposition of troops has been made in the coal mining areas of South Wales, Lancashire and Scotland. The organization for the maintenance of supplies is prepared to join with the government in hundreds of centres throughout the country in maintaining essential services while there are industrial stoppages.

The government itself is making every effort to take over the control of coal, both in the mines and aboard ships.

Japan Socialists Jailed
Tokio.—Toshikazu Sakai, Socialist leader, and 19 other men arrested with him in May 1925, charged with communist plotting, have been given prison terms ranging from seven to ten months in the Court of Appeals. Sakai first attracted attention because of his pacifist activities during the Russo-Japanese war.

Reach Agreement Over Debt
Paris.—A provisional Franco-British debt agreement has been reached, according to Le Temps, by which France will pay \$2,000,000 September 30, 1926, and another \$2,000,000 on March 31, 1927.

Manufacturers to Meet
Toronto.—The 55th annual meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association will be held in Toronto, June 8, 9, and 10.

British And American Friendship Is Guarantee Of Peace Of The World

Ottawa.—"With a strong, friendly understanding between the peoples of the British empire and of the United States of America, we can guarantee a world peace," P. W. Field, senior trade commissioner of Britain in Canada, told the annual convention of the Dominion Fire Prevention Association here.

"There is comparatively little difference in the ideas of the peoples of the empire and of the people of the neighboring republic, from which so many welcome visitors are here today. We are working for common causes. After all, we are on the other side of the Atlantic as a famous admiral once said, speak American—with an English accent."

"May I take this opportunity of making one observation about the general position of the United Kingdom? Any country which is satisfied with itself is already on the decline. I would like to point out that the United Kingdom is not satisfied with itself. The United Kingdom is still willing to learn."

Mr. Field brought the greetings of visitor organizations in the British Isles.

Coal Strike In Britain

London.—The coal strike may involve a general withdrawal of trade union labor throughout the country with consequent serious interference with railroads, shipping and all industries. This position has not yet been reached, but the contingency is being viewed with grave fear, for trade union leaders are in strong sympathy with the stand the miners have taken. Many of the leaders are believed to be prepared to take the extreme step of calling a general strike in support of the colliers' workers.

Saskatchewan Egg Pool

Leading Operators Interfere With Work of Canvasers

Regina.—With the weather favorable to leading operators, canvasers securing contracts for the Saskatchewan egg and poultry pool have been unable to give as much individual attention to this work as in the past, with the result that no single canvasser secured over 30 contracts, the minimum required in the baby chick competition conducted by the pool last week. The flow of contracts to Headquarters is still being maintained in a steady volume, even canvassers taking up the work each week. Nearly 10,000 contracts have been secured to date.

Mrs. E. R. Thomson, Nat. Mountain, was declared the winner of the trade mark competition today. There were 266 designs submitted in the contest and Mrs. Thomson's effort scored by reason of its simplicity and subtleties for the purposes of a trade mark. Many of the designs submitted revealed clever draftsmanship, but were too intricate to be suitable for a trade mark.

Revolt During Peace Parley

Riflemen Fire on French Soldiers and Several Killed

Oujda.—French, Moroccan, while French and Spanish delegates were discussing disarmament and other terms with the Rifians to bring peace to Morocco, the Rifians led by Abd. el-Krim, who has been accepting French rule, suddenly revolted and opened an offensive on the French. Several French soldiers were killed and wounded and only was restored after the French had opened fire with artillery.

Will Push Bay Line Work

Promise Given Farmers' Union President by Minister of Railways

Saskatoon.—"Every assurance that work on the Hudson's Bay Railway will be pushed just as fast as it can be given by the Hon. C. A. Dunning, minister of railways and canals, in the Federal Government," said J. A. Stoneman, president of the Farmers' Union of Canada. Mr. Stoneman has just returned from a visit to Ottawa on behalf of the union.

Comes Under Gaming Law

Brain Trading On Paper-Illegal Says Justice Walsh

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Appointed Arbitrator

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Commercial Baking Test Of New Garnet Wheat Is Highly Satisfactory

Churchill Faces Attack

Religious Bodies Strongly Oppose Tax On Betting

London.—The well-known intractability of Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer, in the face of attack was the cause of much laughter and cheers in the House of Commons. At the conclusion of a veritable broadside from the opposition, the chancellor blandly remarked: "I don't remember any budget which incurred such weak, dumfounded, dispirited and contradictory opposition. I am entitled to claim that it more nearly agreed with the budget than any in the past 25 years."

In connection with the betting tax, Mr. Churchill said that he had received no pathetic letters from street bookmakers, asking that they be included in the proposals because the tax was cheaper than expensive tips to evade the law.

Representatives of a great number of religious bodies at a meeting organized a national council and executive to oppose the tax on betting, suggested by Winston Churchill in his budget. It was decided to write a "Bidding Appeal" and request Premier Baldwin to receive a deputation.

For Closer Trade Relations

Canadian Delegation Attends Trade Convention in Charleston, S.C.

Charleston, S.C.—The National Foreign Trade Council opened its thirteenth annual session here and after receiving a message from President Coolidge, listened to inspirational speeches by the first delegates of Canada who have ever to the convention.

Chairman of the convention, presided by the United States delegates, 25 Canadians, led by C. P. W. Selwyn, president of the Victoria, B.C. Chamber of Commerce, presented an appeal for closer trade relations between the two countries.

The "Anglo-American" of the English-speaking people, Mr. Selwyn said, and very little else, now "stands between us and a world of change." Recalling the unbroken border-line between Canada and this country, he said it was a splendid lesson to the world.

Channel Islands Not Exempt

English Debt Duties On Property There Can Be Collected

London.—Judging by the answer given by Winston Churchill, chancellor of the exchequer, to a question in the House of Commons, the late Sir Robert Houston, ex-M.P., Liverpool hipwrecker, undertook a fruitless task, as, as regarded, he made the Channel Islands his place of residence with a view to avoiding the imposition of duties on his estate after his death. Sir Robert's possessions were stated to be valued at about £7,000,000. Mr. Churchill stated that he considered there was a good prospect of securing death duties on the whole of Sir Robert's estate, including the portion of it in the Channel Islands.

Liquor Cripples Mail Delivery

Port Smith, N.W.T.—Post office employees report that mauling of liquor to Port Smith has winter crippled the delivery of the ordinary mail. Only a stipulated weight could be conveyed on each trip, and this was taken up by liquor parcels.

Trade With The Orient

Vancouver.—That the recent improvement in Oriental trade is in no way imaginary is proved by the heavy cargoes carried by the last few liners sailing for Japan and China from the port of Vancouver. In fact the recent partial recovery in the volume of business being done with China, is viewed by local merchants as a sure sign that the country is coming back to normal.

Civil Servants Resign As A Result Of The Customs Investigation

Ottawa.—Revelations before the parliamentary committee investigating the administration of the customs department have resulted in the resignation of two members of the civil service commission. Clarence Jameson and M. G. Larocelle submitted their resignations to Premier Johnston tonight. The resignations are contained in two brief letters which the commissioners sent to the prime minister.

Mr. Jameson states that in the discharge of his official duties he was ever in any way influenced by the occurrence referred to before the parliamentary committee. He felt, however, that the incidents referred to will be the subject of such inquiries as the committee may see fit to make.

Ottawa.—What is claimed to have been the first commercial baking of the new garnet wheat, which has been expected to be the difference in the experimental farm for some time, was made here recently. While the wheat is still in the experimental stage, it is considered that the result attained is highly satisfactory and a most method of obtaining criticism is being tried out.

Samples of the bread baked from garnet wheat and Marquis wheat are being sent to the various persons concerned for comparison. In the parliamentary restaurant bread from the two wheats was placed side by side and the difference in the quality of the bread was also given a loaf of the Garnet wheat bread, and members have previously been circulated as to the difference in its development, and the result of the government experiments.

The Garnet wheat is a new variety which H. L. Newman, Dominion cerealist, following initial steps taken by Dr. C. Saunders, has been experimenting with in the experimental farm laboratories for some time, and while not of the same whiteness, being slightly cream in color, is considered equal to the Marquis wheat in every other respect. In certain districts, and for certain purposes, it is already thought to be superior to the Marquis wheat.

Two lots of the wheat, grown at Scott, Sask., were sent to the state testing mill at Minneapolis, connected with the University of Minnesota. A detailed report accompanied the flour shipped to Ottawa, of which some was used yesterday.

Dr. J. H. Archibald, director of the experimental farm, said that, although the wheat is still in an experimental stage, it is expected to find. Under average western conditions, it is thought that it will mature from eight to ten days earlier than Marquis wheat, and that the yield will be more abundant.

Following the receipt of welcomed opinion and further observation, should it be considered necessary, it is hoped by fall to have established the new wheat on a definite basis.

Merger Of Biscuit Firms

Five Canadian Biscuit Concerns Are Amalgamated

Montreal.—Following the Marquis wheat, biscuit firms took place under the name of the Canada Biscuit Company, with Frank A. McCormick, of London, Ontario, at its head. Participating in the new concern are the following firms:

McCormick Manufacturing Company, Limited, London, Ont.; Montreal Biscuit Company, Limited, Montreal; Pacific Biscuits Company, Limited; A. J. Laver, Limited, Montreal; North-West Biscuit Company, Limited, Edmonton; and the North-West Mill and Feed company of Edmonton. This last named is a subsidiary of the North-West Biscuit Company.

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Here are Twenty-Nine Reasons Why Japanese Was Voted Most Beautiful Lady

During a contest held on board the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Scotland, making the world cruise, to select the most beautiful trees, mountains, views, harbors, countries, streets and human beings, the virtually unanimous verdict on the final question was that the Japanese lady was the most beautiful and the most charming.

Here are twenty-nine arguments in support of the opinion of the Empress of Scotland's passengers. They are the gushy girls, bawling singing and dancing entertainers of Japan, who performed at the Shiohwa Theatre, Bopp, for the travellers during their visit to that port on the 1925-26 World Cruise.

Canadian Seed Grain Growers Now Reaping The Reward Of Applying Scientific Methods

Canadian seed grain growers are now reaping the reward that attends the application of scientific methods to industries of all kinds. Careful selection of parent stock, careful cultivation in high latitudes have resulted in the production of seed grain that is winning its way throughout the world because of its intrinsic merit and the results obtained when tested in the best of all schools, that of actual experiment. Proof of the extending market for their wares has naturally and justifiably called the home grower who earlier in the year filed a record order from the Argentine. The steamship *Malaysia*, that sailed from New York for Buenos Aires on February 20 last, carried 2,900 bushels of Redpoll seed Marquis wheat and 2,000 bushels of Redpoll Banner oats shipped from the Canadian Seed Growers' Association plant at Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, consigned to the Bunge and Born Grain Corporation to fill orders placed by Argentine farmers. The wheat in this consignment brought \$2.40 a bushel, the oats \$1 a bushel, both, New York City.

For two years the seed growers' association has been seeking export orders. It has sought by practical demonstration in two continents to prove the superiority of Canadian seed grain. Its efforts have been backed up by the Canadian trade commissioners, and the result has been the result of this intelligent co-operation. Besides these shipments to South America, the association has a ton of registered alfalfa seed to Sweden, and arranged to ship a ton of seed oats to Australia.

The Canadian farmers have been quick to recognize the greater profits to be won from high quality products. Their seed is used in increasing quantities in the United States. Farmers have shown enterprise and judgment, qualities that make for success in farming as well as in other businesses.

For A Clean Crop

Domestic Seed Branch Is Inspecting All Seed Houses to Maintain Standards

A general check up in all the phases of the seed trade is being made by the Western Canada, according to a statement made by the Domestic seed branch. The seed and feed inspectors are inspecting all seed houses, seed dealers, merchants and farmers' supplies with the object of maintaining as well as possible the various grades and standards. This is particularly necessary with some farmers, who are not as familiar with the grades of clover and grass seed as they should be and may be induced to buy and sow inferior and weedy seed. Education at work of this nature is being carried on at the same time. Farmers are particularly interested and willing to have their seed cleaned and graded by the inspectors of course a clean crop.

Importance Of Grain Traffic

Constituted 51.7 of Entire Tonnage Handled by C.P.R. in Western Canada

Of last year's western grain crop, the Canadian Pacific Railway handled 5,673,236 tons to the head of the lakes, and 732,065 tons to Vancouver. This movement constitutes 51.7 of the entire tonnage of the country handled in that territory and, as it was all handled during a period extending over seven months, it is a remarkable tribute to the efficiency of the Canadian Pacific that few, if any, complaints were received regarding delay in shipment, lack of cars, etc.

English Boys To Take Farm Course On recent return to the Canadian Pacific steamship *Montevideo*, seventeen Scotch and English youths disembarked destined for Macdonald College, St. Anne de Belleville, where they are to be placed on farms to acquire practical knowledge of agriculture, after which they are to take the college with courses. The more than 100 families in a position to give them financial assistance.

Rich Gold Field

The famous Hill's Bar, a mile west of Yale, B.C., in the Fraser River, from which millions were washed in the gold rush days, is again to be worked. This time by Americans, operating drag line dredges. The company has secured leases on numerous other benches and bars which in the past bore rich gold values.

"Have you finished cleaning the benches yet?"
"Yes, ma'am, all except your rings and bracelets!"

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System Of Crop Rotation

Something About Sweet Clover's Place On the Stock Farm

In order that weeds, plant diseases and insect pests can be controlled, and that grain growing on continuous crops, the basic industry of the prairie provinces it is necessary, as Mr. Derick, the Dominion experimental farm at Brandon, Man., says, that some system of crop rotation should be established. For this purpose sweet clover produces the most beneficial results in rotation with grain, either alone or in mixture with grasses. It stores up atmospheric nitrogen in the soil. As Mr. Derick suggests how often sweet clover, or a mixture of sweet clover and grass, will have to be used to replace the grain crop in order to maintain the nitrogen supply in the soil depends upon the condition of the soil. In his pamphlet on "Sweet Clover," published by the Dominion experimental farm, Mr. Derick tabulates the following as a rotation that could be used on a stock farm or on a portion of a grain farm: 1st year, sweet clover, 2nd year, alfalfa, 3rd year, timothy, 4th year, timothy, 5th year, timothy, 6th year, timothy, 7th year, timothy, 8th year, timothy, 9th year, timothy, 10th year, timothy, 11th year, timothy, 12th year, timothy, 13th year, timothy, 14th year, timothy, 15th year, timothy, 16th year, timothy, 17th year, timothy, 18th year, timothy, 19th year, timothy, 20th year, timothy, 21st year, timothy, 22nd year, timothy, 23rd year, timothy, 24th year, timothy, 25th year, timothy, 26th year, timothy, 27th year, timothy, 28th year, timothy, 29th year, timothy, 30th year, timothy, 31st year, timothy, 32nd year, timothy, 33rd year, timothy, 34th year, timothy, 35th year, timothy, 36th year, timothy, 37th year, timothy, 38th year, timothy, 39th year, timothy, 40th year, timothy, 41st 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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

King George has become a patron of the rebuilding fund for the Shakespear Memorial Theatre at Stratford-on-Avon, recently destroyed by fire.

Emile H. Shorten, Egyptian engineer, is in Canada from Cairo to help establish direct trade links between the Dominion and the near east.

The agreement effected in 1922 with Canada, covering rights of aircraft between that country and the United States has been extended until April 29, 1927.

Speaker Lemieux in the House of Commons announced that a bust of Lord Durham had been received by the government as a gift from Mr. St. Louis Strachey, of London, England.

The total catch of sea fish on both coasts of the Dominion during the months of March was 13,571,000 pounds valued at \$999,731. It has an enhanced value of \$57,322 over the month of March, 1925.

For the first time in several years the number of unemployed in Great Britain has dropped below the million mark. The total number of unemployed is now 975,000, which represents a drop of 200,000 during the past year.

The German-Russian rivalry violates neither the covenant of the League of Nations nor the Locarno pact, in the view of the League of Nations circles. It is contended that the treaty confirms the Soviet Government for the first time to a policy of arbitration with capitalist governments.

The ceremony of the signing of the first contract of the Saskatchewan provincial dairy pool was conducted in a ploughed field on Herman Richard's farm, near Saskatoon, Tuesday when O. W. Anderson, who built and operated the first creamery in the province, C. E. Thompson, president of the pool, and others drank a solemn toast in a pint of the best milk.

**Self-Poisoning
Takes Huge Toll**
Many Fail in Life Through
Sheer Neglect of Funda-
mental Rule of Health

Thousands of men and women are today victims of their own neglect. Greedy, listless, quickly tiring, suffering from headaches and humors, they spend enormous sums in medicine without avail. They would give much to regain their old vitality.

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TIPPITY-WITCH IRENE

Red Clover, Alfalfa And Sweet Clover

Correct Method of Acquiring a System of Permanent Agriculture

(By Jas. D. McGregor, Glenora, Stock Farm, Brandon, Manitoba.)

Red clover is perhaps the oldest and best known of all the legumes used in crop rotation, to furnish feed for livestock, and to maintain the yield of grains. Where clover is grown successfully and used intelligently, it will accomplish all that is expected of any crop. It is usually seeded with small grain, produces a hay, and used crop the following year, and is plowed under for the succeeding crop, or if timothy or other grass is seeded with it, it will make good pasture for another year. A rotation of corn, wheat and clover, with stock to eat the corn and clover, allowing the manure to be returned to the land, approaches a system of permanent agriculture. A small amount of phosphorus in addition to the manure would make this system almost perfect.

However, there are few farmers so situated as to approach this system. Red clover does not grow satisfactorily in all localities; neither does corn, and there is not enough livestock to consume the corn and clover if it were grown.

Alfalfa has proven to be adapted to many sections; its production is extending very rapidly, and those who are able to grow it successfully can wait for nothing better, either as a feed for livestock, or as a soil restorer. All good farmers are agreed that the combination of sweet clover or alfalfa, and livestock, will enable them to produce more grain—wheat, oats, etc.—than can be produced by the ordinary system of strictly grain farming.

If you have noticed a decrease in profits, due to lower yields, or an increase in weeds and plant diseases, and need a crop to help keep up the fertility, furnish good pasture and hay; a crop that will grow early and when nothing else does, early in the spring, late in the fall, on the alkali, wet, dry, stony or gumbo spots, try sweet clover.

Sweet clover has long been known as an outcast among plants—growing by the roadside and in waste places, often being cursed, except by the beekeeper. It seems now that, like many other things we at first rejected, it is finding its place among the valuable crops on all farms. Sweet clover is no longer an experimental crop. An increasing acreage is being grown on thousands of farms, in every state and province on the continent, and is filling a need that no other crop ever has filled.

There are several species of sweet clover, but for our purpose we will divide them into two classes, White Blossomed and Yellow Blossomed, as these two which are mostly grown. White Blossomed is the variety produced on the majority of farms, but a great many people are beginning to favor the Yellow Blossomed on account of its early maturity and possibly a little finer stem, thus making better hay than the White Blossomed. There are selections being made from these two varieties and claims made that they are superior in various ways, such as being earlier, cold resistant, less bitter, more leafy, etc. There undoubtedly is merit in all these claims and great improvement may be expected from careful selection and breeding.

When just beginning to grow, sweet clover so closely resembles alfalfa that many will mistake one for the other. They may be distinguished by noting the edge of the leaves; the sweet clover leaves are much like saw teeth, while the alfalfa is almost smooth; or by the rather bitter taste of the sweet clover as compared to the alfalfa. When older the sweet clover develops a main stem with many branches, while alfalfa produces many stems from the crowns, with but few branches.

The biennial sweet clover, when plowed alone in the spring will make



considerable growth—one to three feet—and may be cut for hay. Under favorable conditions, two crops of hay may be cut the first year. It is the nature of this plant to store up in large fleshy roots food which is used the second year in the production of seed. Hence, pasturing heavily or cutting close before it has made its maximum growth may limit the growth and seed production the second year to some extent. In favorable seasons, sweet clover makes excellent fall pasture, after the small grain is cut.



The New Costume Blouse
Fashioned of a lovely printed and bordered material is this overblouse of Russian influence that is almost a dress, so long in length it is. Pin tucks define the hips, and create just enough fullness to give the new bloused effect at the sides. Note the smart arrangement of the collar, at neck and front opening back. It forms a V. A sleeve extension is joined to the kimono shoulders and gathered into bands at the wrists. No. 1214 in size 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32. Prices best. \$2.25 to 2.50. 24 yards 49-inch all plain material or 24 yards 49-inch bordered material as illustrated. Price 29 cents.

The secret of distinctive dress lies in good taste rather than in a lavish expenditure of money. Every woman should want to make her own clothes, and the home dressmaker will find the designs illustrated in our new Fashion Book to be practical and simple, yet maintaining the spirit of the mode of the moment. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

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ON THE AIR

What is Doing in the World of Radio

Some folks are just bugs about the radio. Or, as you might say, they are microphone microbes.

While listening in at Battle Creek, Mich., Paul Stevens, 29, heard over the radio that his uncle had left him a fortune.

Share the radio broadcasting stations quit announcing the names of persons who wrote or telegraphed to them, the "fan mail" to broadcasters has dropped off heavily at Chicago.

The landscape-loving motorist whose view of wooded defile is obscured by billboards may first follow the radio in the fan belt by radio advertising, whenever he turns the dial of his receiving set.

Proposals to broadcast the House of Commons debates have been likened to soap-box oratory by many Conservative members of the British Parliament who have put themselves on record as being against the introduction of the microphone.

An interesting record in long distance radio reception on a moving train has been established by the Continental Limited, the transcontinental express of the Canadian National Railway, in picking up and holding for 20 minutes a broadcast from Vera Cruz, Mexico.

London will soon have a theatre where plays will be staged for broadcasting and then for the benefit of audiences. An attempt was made recently at Covent Garden Opera House, where an opera was performed and broadcast, there being no stage setting or costumes used.

Radio signals are better 600 miles from a broadcast transmitter than they are 200 miles according to engineers of the radio department of the General Electric Company, under whose supervision an exhaustive investigation of radio wave propagation is now being made.

Twelve radio "mikes" have been installed in the freight yards of the Illinois Central Railroad, Chicago, and the system, with other improvements, has reduced the switching time from 288 men to 27 men. The "mikes" are connected to a universal loud speaker circuit, that orders and responses of each of the ten switch-tenders, the train dispatcher, and the scale-master are audible to all twelve.

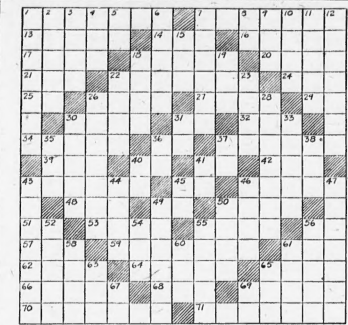
**Stomach Cramps
Yield to "Nervine"**
When doubled up at midnight with cramps you don't feel like experimenting. What you want is something to remove the cramp. Nothing acts so effectively as *Nervine*. Take *Nervine* and drink a little sweetened water, and quick as a wink the cramp is gone. *Nervine* is about five times as strong as most medicines, and because so strong, only a small dose is required to give instant effect. For stomach gas, fermentation, cramps, etc., *Nervine* should be in every home. For sure protection, get *Nervine* today. 50¢ at druggists.

Huge Tower For Leipzig
One Being Erected Twice as High as Eiffel Tower
The city of Leipzig, Germany, is erecting a steel tower, 1550 feet high, about twice as high as the Eiffel Tower in Paris, which is to serve as a generator of electric power and as a wireless station. The cost of the tower will be about one million dollars. It is said that Berlin is considering the question of building a similar tower.

Japan Surprises Naval World
Japan has sprung a surprise on the naval world. She is building four cruisers, which, although smaller and cheaper than the 16,000-ton Washington treaty ships are formidable fighting units, according to Hector Bywater, a leading naval critic.

The true test of good manners is to be decreed to the fellow who isn't as important as you are.

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



Horizontal
1—To make ready.
2—To assert earnestly.
3—To send in return.
14—A constellation.
16—Scatter.
17—To publish.
18—Warn.
20—To wait for.
21—A large vessel.
22—To cradle again.
23—A non-treaty rotary.
24—A piece of machinery.
25—Article.
27—To type write (colloq.).
28—A negative.
29—Who wins.
31—Missouri (abbr.).
32—A small boat.
34—To let.
35—To play.
36—A deep whet track.
38—Pronoun (poet).
41—Part of the verb "to be."
42—A vine.
43—Resident in State of Washington.
44—A young ox.
45—Soon then.

Vertical
19—Info.
20—A dance.
21—Violent anger.
22—A handle.
23—To give a title to.
24—A relict.
25—Personal pronoun.
26—New.
27—A period of time.
28—Near at hand.
29—Like.
30—A grain.
31—Mother.
32—Allowing that.
33—A repeat.
34—Over.
35—Act of settling.
36—Primer.
37—Irrigate.
38—To torment.
39—To allow.
40—Composure by fire.
41—A printed journal.
42—An Italian city.
43—Goat term.
44—To contend with.
45—To lay over.
46—Angry, furious.
47—Plural form of "you" (poet).
48—Sovereign.
49—Organ of hearing.

**Measure Directed
Against Dominion**
Czechoslovakia Will Refuse Shipments Unless Endorsed By Consulate

Declared to be directed especially against Canada and the Argentine, orders have been issued by the Czechoslovak customs authorities stipulating that entry of cereals, flour, vegetables and milk be refused unless the shipment is accompanied by certificates issued by the Chamber of Commerce of the exporting country endorsed by the Czechoslovak consulate. The new order went into effect on April 21.

Extra duties said to have imposed on merchandise from this country by Canada and Argentine are said to have been responsible for the placing of the new measure.

**Will Not Participate
In World Conference**
U. S. Has Formulated Decision To Its Legation At Bern

Formal notification the United States will not participate in the world conference in Geneva, September 1, has been sent the United States Legation at Bern for delivery to the League of Nations. The conference was called to consider the reservation attached by the United States senate to adherence to the world court, but Secretary Kellogg and President Coolidge decided adherence could be made effective only through correspondence between the state department and the 48 signatories to the court protocol.

Note that "poor, old, decrepit" Britain is paying another \$160,000,000 on her war debt to France since last year.

Answer To Last Week's Puzzle

**JOURNAL PLANS
AIR CIRCULARS
CHART GARROTE
KIND KITE
MAINTAINS
ONCE INTENT
ACCENT SUR
LEAVES STEEP
ENTERED
STEREOTYPED**

In the making of bricks, clay and other mixtures are handled 75 times before the product is complete.

Candle corks, having lines painted on the candles at regular intervals, are still being manufactured in England.

She Could Hardly Do Her Housework Nerves Were So Bad

Mrs. I. M. Parks, Concord, Ont., writes: "I had heart and nerve trouble, and became so short of breath. I could hardly do my daily housework, and was so nervous I could not think of staying alone, as every little sound I heard felt like a shock to me."

I Saw
recommended, so I tried a box, and after taking the second one I am now feeling like a different woman."

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Thursday, May 20, 1926

Next Monday, May 24, is Empire Day, and a public holiday. Wheat is growing rapidly and is of good colour.

More work was accomplished on the auto camp this week.

Miss Myrtle Fountain left for Calgary this morning.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Moore, Social Plains, May 14, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. F. Parfeton, Acadia Valley, May 10, a son.

A good rain is reported to have fallen in the Social Plains district, Monday.

Wendell McRae was admitted to the hospital on May 16.

R. B. Young was admitted to the hospital on May 16.

Miss A. G. Rowles has had a small greenhouse addition erected to her residence. It is pleasing to see residents display interest in hobbies of this nature.

Wednesday hall holidays will commence in town Wednesday, June 2. Will people concerned kindly bear in mind this notice.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boyd, left on Saturday morning's train on a trip to Calgary.

A very severe dust storm hit town on Monday, and was followed by a heavy shower of rain.

Mrs. Kelley, is expecting a visit from her daughter, Mrs. McMillen, of Edmonton.

The auto camp was occupied for the first time this year by tourists on Tuesday. The autoists were on their way to the coast—Mail, Bassano.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Kreller, G. Bangs and H. Swenson, of Social Plains, were visitors to town, Monday.

As a result of Mr. and Mrs. D. Lush staying in town on Tuesday and subsequent charity sales, Geo. Ling reports increased business that evening.

A large number from the surrounding district, were visitors in town Wednesday to attend the local talent play and dance. The play was well attended. We hope to be able to give a report of this next week.

It was remarked that Dan McEachern, had his hands full on Wednesday night. It looked to us as if he had his arms full.

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Alberta General Election July 5.

In celebration of the opening of the new community hall, at Mayfield, a large turnout is expected there on the evening of the 24th. See advt.

W. Danylechuk, of Cappon, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the hospital on Monday night.

E. A. McGill, has been a very sick during the past few days. Everyone will be pleased to see "Mac" around again.

New York, May 15—Sterling exchange rose to above parity of 48.65 today for the first time since December 10, 1914, reaching 48.61, up 1/4 from Friday's close.

Word was received this week of the death of Mr. Geo. A. Leach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. Leach, of Josephine, at North Gleason, Ont., on May 10. His death followed closely on that of his father on April 30. Death in both cases was due to the "flu." Sympathy will be expressed with the bereaved ones.

The Track Supervisor received the following note from one of his track foremen:

"I'm sending in the accident report on Casey's foot when he struck it with the spike maul. Now, under 'Remarks,' do you want mine or do you want Casey's."

UNION CHURCH

For Sunday evening, public worship will be withdrawn owing to the absence of the Minister, who will be attending the Annual Alberta Conference of the United Church in Edmonton. In view of this, a special invitation is given to every member of our congregation, to join with the Sunday School for worship and Bible study.

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Of the grain stocks at the port of Vancouver, which are being steadily exported, European markets received practically 27 million bushels and the Orient 20 million bushels of the 47,640,647 bushels of the 1925 crop, which had been shipped to Vancouver. The amount of grain in store at Vancouver is seldom more than 4,500,000 bushels.

All local trains coming into Windsor Station, Montreal, from the Eastern Townships brought supplies of maple syrup which increased rapidly during April. Similar shipments poured into the Place Veiger Station from the Laurentians. Dominion Express officials stated that the quantities were well up to the average of former years, while the quality was also up to the mark.

With the inauguration of the new "Redwing" special train service on the Canadian Pacific Railway line between Boston and Montreal, a group of prominent Bostonians were invited to Montreal on the initial trip of the "Redwing" from Boston. Montrealers went to Boston on the same special. The "Redwing" cuts several hours off the old schedule between the two cities.

According to the weekly crop report of the Canadian Pacific Railway the spring opening of the 1926 season, after one of the finest winters ever experienced in Western Canada, finds conditions very favorable. "Feed was plentiful and winter losses less than usual. Prospects for coming season are fine owing to good moisture. There is a live demand for new machinery."

Alberta Pool Gets Elevator

The Alberta wheat pool has leased the Dominion Government Terminal Grain Elevator at Prince Rupert, on the Pacific coast. The elevator is a modern plant, with capacity for 1,250,000 bushels.

Preparing for a Lawn

The growing of lawns on the prairie is particularly difficult because of the lack of sufficient moisture in dry seasons. Several grasses and mixtures have been tried out at the Dominion Experimental Station at Rosetown and the most satisfactory is a mixture of fifteen pounds of Kentucky Blue grass seed and one pound of White Dutch clover seed sown at the rate of one hundred pound to 500 sq. ft. Preparation for the lawn must begin the year before and perhaps the most satisfactory preparation is to give it a heavy coating of manure and plant potatoes. This enriches the soil, cleanses the soil and leaves it in splendid physical condition. After such preparation, the

Village of Empress

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a list of lands against which proceedings have been begun under the Tax Recovery Act, 1922, appears in the Alberta Gazette, published on the 16th day of May, 1926, and unless the amount of arrears of taxes and costs are paid on or before the 15th day of December 1926, a certificate of title will issue to the municipality in respect thereof.

A copy of the said list may be seen in the office of the treasurer during office hours.

Dated at Empress, this 18th day of May, 1926.

D. McEACHERN, Treasurer.

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Fancy Crepe, yard	35c	Reg. 2.00 suit	1.65
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soil should be raked level and graded. If this is done in the fall an opportunity is afforded to see any depressions that may develop during the winter. In the spring as early as the ground can be worked rake and level again and sow the seed and rake it in and roll it. Avoid using the lawn as much as possible the first season and clip frequently. If running water is available, the condition of the lawn can be much improved by watering with a lawn sprinkler.

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H. H. HALL, Local Agent, EMPRESS



Arriving Every Saturday

throughout the summer months, we will have a very attractive and delicious assortment of

Plain, Marble and Fruit Cakes

We have just unpacked a shipment of

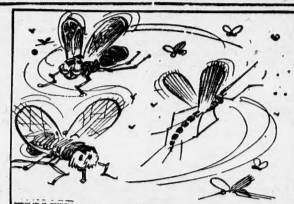
Betty Brown Dresses

in printed Broadcloths, Willow Suiting
and Crepes in latest styles

ALSO A LINE OF

Ladies Pongee Silk Bloomers in
all shades

W. R. BRODIE



Things With Wings

will soon be buzzing around and making life miserable for those who haven't their homes fitted with SCREEN DOORS, WINDOWS and PORCHES.

The man or woman who puts up with a lot of tormenting flies or mosquitoes is a martyr indeed. And there is really no need for it, for at the price we are making Screens of all kinds, every mother's son of us can afford to protect our families in this way.

The Empress Lumber Yards

Battery Service

Don't Delay. Overhauling time is here. Bring your car in now

Auto Repairs

Now is the time to have your
Disc Harrows and Disc Plows
sharpened for Spring Work

Alberta Garage & Machine Shop
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